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Invention: Coupling Device for an  
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This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed January 26, 2004. A copy of the Notice is enclosed.

Enclosed is the declaration of inventors Amer Hadba, Jason M. Lau, and John S.

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**Petition for Extension of Time**

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 up to and including April 26, 2004. Included herewith is a fee in the amount of \$110.00 for a one-month extension of time.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1010.00 for the payment of the filing fee, the surcharge for the late filing of the declaration and filing fee, and the one-month extension of time.

Applicants hereby authorize the Patent and Trademark Office to charge deposit account number 02-0383 for any other charges necessary for the filing of this response.

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